

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Hampden-Smith et al.

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(Formerly NAN-004-5)

Issue Batch No.: H08

For: "COPPER POWDERS,  
METHODS FOR PRODUCING  
POWDERS AND DEVICES  
FABRICATED FROM SAME"

) Group Art Unit: 2831  
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) Examiner: A. Dinkins  
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) AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF  
) ALLOWANCE  
) (37 CFR §1.312(a))  
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<p>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</p> <p>I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231,</p> <p>ON <u>April 18, 2000</u></p> <p>McINTOSH &amp; DOCKERY LLC</p> <p>BY: <u>Janelle Fast</u> Janelle Fast</p>
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BOX ISSUE FEE  
Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment to the above-identified application.

At page 1, before "Background of the Invention" please insert --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/038,258, filed February 24, 1997, and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/039,450, filed February 24, 1997.--

REMARKS

The foregoing amendment is being submitted to perfect the priority claim for the above-identified application. No new matter is being added.